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ANNOUNCEMENTS

2017 Distinguished Service Awards – Nominations Now Open

The Distinguished Service Award Committee has opened nominations for the 2017 Distinguished Service Awards. One "President's Distinguished Service Award" will be awarded to a University Support Staff (USS) member and one to an Unclassified Professional Staff (UPS) member. Each awardee will receive a certificate and check for \$500.

New this year are the Les and Elizabeth Griffin Outstanding Service Awards which were created to recognize the exceptional and dedicated staff who support daily operations at FHSU. There are three categories:

1. Current FHSU Employee
 - a. Employed within the Campus Operations and Services job family, either USS or UPS.
 - b. Has been employed by FHSU, full-time or part-time, for at least three years (must have at least three years of service as of July 1 of the nominating year).
 - c. Has not previously received this award in the last five years.
 - d. Will receive a certificate and a \$500 check.
2. FHSU Student
 - a. A current full-time student at FHSU.
 - b. Employed as a student employee within the Campus Operations & Services job family or as a student employee providing services for the FHSU food service.
 - c. Has been employed as a student employee by FHSU for a period of at least one year as of July 1 of the nominating year and enrolled as a full-time student for the upcoming academic year.
 - d. Has not previously received this award.

- e. Will receive a certificate and a \$250 check (two awards will be given, one for Food Services and one for Campus Operations & Services).
- 3. FHSU Food Services Employee
 - a. Currently employed at FHSU food service providing services for FHSU students, staff, faculty and/or University guests.
 - b. Has been employed at FHSU food services providing services for FHSU for a period of at least three years as of July 1 of the nominating year.
 - c. Has not previously received this award in the last five years.
 - d. Will receive a certificate and a \$500 check.

The policies/guidelines and nomination forms can be found on the Human Resource webpage under the Resources tab. The link is www.fhsu.edu/humanresourceoffice/Resources/.

Nominations will be accepted until **4:30 PM on Monday, May 15, 2017**. Please follow the guidelines carefully and forward your nominations to Shannon Lindsey, Human Resources Director, 112 Sheridan Hall. All awards will be announced during Fall 2017 Fall Convocation in August.

Please contact Human Resources if you have any questions. The DSA Committee appreciates your time in nominating deserving FHSU employees.

Spring Convocation and Lewis Automotive Invitation

Please plan to attend the annual Spring Convocation to be held on **Friday, May 5, 2017, at 3:30 pm**, in the Beach Schmidt Performing Arts Center.

The meeting agenda will consist of the annual reports of the Faculty Senate and Graduate School, President Tompkins' state of the university address and recognition of the Spring 2017 Faculty Award recipients.

Following this event, we hope you will join us at the faculty/staff reception hosted by the management staff and employees of Lewis Automotive Group of Hays.

Lewis Automotive Group of Hays has graciously offered once again to host all faculty, staff and spouses for dinner and cocktails on **Friday, May 5, 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm**, in the Toyota showroom, 4440 Vine Street.

Please RSVP Heather Kaiser in the President's office at hlkaiser@fhsu.edu by **Monday, May 1**, to indicate your planned attendance at the Lewis Automotive Reception.

We hope to see you all at the Spring Convocation and Lewis Automotive Faculty/Staff Reception on May 5!

-Karen Allen, Office of the President

Nominations for the Internationalization of the Campus or Curriculum Awards

Please nominate your faculty or staff (unclassified or classified) for the Internationalization of the Campus or Curriculum Awards. The award winners should exemplify characteristics of excellence in advancing internationalization of the campus or curriculum at FHSU. Nominations of faculty and staff (classified or unclassified) are submitted to a screening committee. Presentation of the awards is made at the Fall Convocation in August.

Application/Nomination Process:

Please submit the following documents either electronically to cjcline@fhsu.edu or as hard copy to the **Office of the Provost/Cynthia Cline/Sheridan Hall/Room 302 by April 30, 2017**.

All of this information can be found on the Provost's website at:
http://www.fhsu.edu/academic/provost/FHSU_Internationalization_Award/

-Jeff Briggs, Interim Provost

Campus Intramurals and Recreational Sports: Swimming Tigers

Registration for the FHSU Swimming Tigers Program is now available on www.imleagues.com! The Swimming Tigers Program is available for parents and children six months of age and older, offering public and private lessons. Registration is on a first come first serve basis. There will be four different sessions offered throughout the summer, the first session beginning June 5. Lessons will be 30 to 45 minutes long for two weeks, Monday through Thursday, and be held in the FHSU Pool located in Cunningham Hall.

If you are interested in registering your child for swimming lessons follow the directions below!

1. Go to www.imleagues.com. If you already have an account skip to step 6.
2. Click on the orange "Signup" tab on the top right.
3. Click on "Select School/Organization" and type FHSU Cunningham Facility Use.
4. Fill out information.
5. Confirm your account through email.
6. Once logged in click on the "FHSU Cunningham Facility Use" tab in top left corner.
7. Select the blue "Pool" tab to the right of the tiger logo.
8. Click on which session you would like to join.
9. Click on the level you would like to participate in.
10. Once in the level, click on the green outlined "Register/Signup" tab.
11. Enter child's name in "Team Name".
12. Fill out the information and make the payment.
13. You are now registered for swim class.
14. If you have multiple kids in the same level and session, sign them up for the same session but different level. Please contact the office and let them know. We will get them moved to the correct class.

If you have any issues please call the Intramurals office at 4373 or Brittney Jacobs at 4749.

SACAD - TODAY

Reasons to stop by:

- 115 posters!
- 85 creative works!
- Both Memorial Union Ballrooms!
- Scavenger Hunt!
- Door Prizes!
- Peoples' Choice!
- Awards at 3:00!
- Refreshments!
- Special lecture in Biology!
- Ceramics sale in the Memorial Union lobby!

Need we say more...?

-Leslie Z. Paige, Office of Scholarship and Sponsored Projects

Invitation to the May 2 Faculty and Staff Retirement Luncheon

You are cordially invited to attend a noon luncheon on Tuesday, May 2, in the Fort Hays Ballroom of the Memorial Union, honoring the faculty and staff who will retire this spring/summer or who retired during the academic year:

- *John Allen, Print Shop Manager, Printing Services
- *Rose Arnhold, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology
- *Keith Bieker, Custodial Manager, Gross/Cunningham Operations
- Jo Anne Crispin, Graduate Degree Analyst, Graduate School
- Larry Dague, Equipment Operator, Grounds
- Elaine Diehl, Administrative Specialist, Department of Nursing

- Kay Fisher, Shuttle Bus Driver, Motor Pool
- Judy Getty, Director, Student Fiscal Services
- Larry Getty, Director, Budget and Planning
- *Diana (Dee) Hand, Senior Administrative Assistant, Department of Political Science
- Alvin Hearne, Technology and Systems Manager, Technology Services
- Vicki Herrman, Senior Administrative Assistant, Department of Psychology
- Linn Ann Huntington, Professor of Journalism/Media Studies, Department of Communication Studies
- *Faye Klein, Enrollment Management Assistant, Office of the Registrar
- *Marjorie Knoll, Senior Administrative Assistant, Department of Sociology
- Michael Lacy, Technology and Systems Manager, Technology Services
- Mike Leikam, Director, Colorado Higher Education Opportunity Center
- Irvin Leiker, Grounds Technician, Grounds
- Linda Leiker, Senior Administrative Assistant, Department of English
- Anita Mead, Administrative Business Specialist, SBDC
- *Beverly (Janie) Meder, Senior Administrative Assistant, Department of Allied Health
- *Michael Schuster, Equipment Mechanic, Grounds
- Colleen Taylor, Senior Administrative Assistant, Department of Art and Design

While not all of the retirees will be able to take part in the luncheon, we hope you will join us in recognizing their service to Fort Hays State University. Those marked with an asterisk (*) have indicated they will participate.

RSVP acceptance only by calling the President's Office at 785-628-4232 or email rbroecke@fhsu.edu no later than **Wednesday, April 26, 2017.**

-Rojene Broeckelman, Office of the President

SAAC Dodgeball Tourney

Student Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) is holding a Dodgeball Tournament on **April 30**, with proceeds benefitting Make-A-Wish Foundation.

To register stop by their table at the Union **April 19, 20, 26, 27 or 28, from 11:00am-2:00pm**, or email ecstroyan@mail.fhsu.edu or ddcooper@mail.fhsu.edu.

Teams consist of 6-8 players and entry fee is \$20.

-Dixie Balman, Assistant Athletic Director

Need a Gift for an FHSU Graduate? The Alumni Association is Here to Help

Alumni Association Membership.... Your graduate will receive a special Tiger gift package when you purchase a membership in the Alumni Association! The first 100 members who join will receive an exclusive copy of ***Life after college. Explained.***, the ultimate informative, yet humorous, guide to surviving the "real world" post-graduation!

The book comes complete with a personalized FHSU cover and eight welcome pages providing important information about the Alumni Association, how your membership can benefit you, engagement opportunities, and how you can stay up-to-date on all things Fort Hays State once you leave the university.

Class of 2017 t-shirt.... Sizes available include Adult Small-XL: \$15; 2XL: \$18; 3XL \$19; and 4XL: \$20. Shirts may be picked up at GradFest (April 27), after May 1 at the Alumni Office, or may be shipped for an additional fee.

It's Party Time! For just \$25, your graduate can paint his/her graduation party black & gold with an exclusive Tiger décor package! Each pack includes balloons, table tents, pompoms, beads and more. These exclusive Tiger decorations will certainly add spirit to your graduation party!

All items can be ordered online at www.goforthaysstate.com/gradgifts or by calling our office x4430.

EVENTS

The College of Health and Behavioral Sciences – Young Alumni Speaker Series

Thursday, April 27; 3:00pm

Memorial Union Black and Gold Room

Free and Open to All

The College of Health and Behavioral Sciences in conjunction with the Werth College of Science, Technology and Mathematics invite you to attend a presentation by FHSU Alumni Mr. Matt Barten, BS, RT(R), Co-founder of Bluestem Embryo Transfer Center and Founder of Embruon, LLC.

Mr. Barten earned his Bachelor of Science in Animal Science in 2000 from FHSU. He then pursued medical imaging within the Department of Allied Health and earned an Associate of Science in Radiologic Technology in 2002, and a Bachelor of Science in Medical Diagnostic Imaging in 2004. He further expanded his education with completion of the sonography program at Washburn University. He has experienced a very unique and entrepreneurial pathway to his current position with Embruon, LLC.

-Tawnya Rohr, College of Health and Behavioral Sciences

Encore Series Presents: “PIPPIN”

Saturday, April 30, 7:30pm

Beach Schmidt Performing Arts Center

Tickets are on sale now for the next Encore show, PIPPIN The Musical.

PIPPIN is a high-flying, death defying hit Broadway musical! Full of extraordinary acrobatics, wondrous magical feats and soaring songs from the composer of Wicked, PIPPIN will lift you up and leave you smiling.

Tickets are available at the Memorial Union Student Service Center, by calling 785-628-5306, or by visiting www.fhsu.edu/encore.

Tickets are \$45 reserved and \$40 unreserved; for seniors and children ages 5-17, tickets are \$42 reserved and \$38 unreserved; and for FHSU students, tickets are \$35 reserved and \$30 unreserved with a Tiger Card.

-Jacob Ternes, Assistant Director of the Memorial Union

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Diversity Speaks: DACA Students

Wednesday, April 26, 12:30pm to 1:30pm

Memorial Union Stouffer Lounge

Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals, or DACA, is an American immigration policy founded by the Obama administration in June 2012 that allows certain undocumented immigrants who entered the country as minors, to receive a renewable two-year period of deferred action from deportation and eligibility for a work permit. With this policy comes many misconstrued assumptions.

Join FHSU Students, Kathy Hernandez-Barahona and Jessica Rodriguez, two members of Dreamers United for Success (DUS), as they talk to campus about what the DACA program is, what the process is like, and to clarify any misconstrued ideas that these students face. This presentation will be the fourth of our Diversity Speaks! series.

****Food will be served for the first 20 people!**

For more information, e-mail kghernandezbarahona.se@fhsu.edu.

GradFest is Coming Soon!

Please share the following information with members of the Class of 2017:

Thursday, April 27, 4-7 p.m. – GradFest, Robbins Center (*north of the coliseum*)

GradFest serves as a one-stop event for members of the Class of 2017 to learn everything they need to know about the commencement process, pick up cap and gowns, purchase an Alumni membership or Class of 2017 t-shirt, enjoy complimentary food and refreshments, sign up for prizes and more! Save time during event registration by completing the online "[Alum at Last](#)" form now and bring your confirmation email/or show us on your phone to receive your prize ticket and admittance to the FREE event!

For more information, contact the alumni office at 628-4430 or alumni@fhsu.edu.

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